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- FOREIGN MINISTERS' MEETING

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1. IN RESPONSE TO REF A, FOLLOWING IS CURRENT ASSESSMENT
OF CYPRUS DEVELOPMENTS FOR USE IN RESPONSE TO MFA REQUEST.

2. WE WERE DISAPPOINTED WITH THE RESULTS OF THE LATEST
ROUND OF THE INTERCOMMUNAL TALKS IN NEW YORK BUT CONTINUE
TO BELIEVE THAT THAT FORUM OFFERS THE BEST PROSPECT FOR
MOVEMENT

TOWARD A CYPRUS SETTLEMENT. WE INTEND TO CONTINUE
TO URGE THE PARTIES TO CONTINUE TO NEGOTIATE WITHIN THE
INTERCOMMUNAL FRAMEWORK AND ASSUME THAT OTHERS WHO
HAVE SUPPORTED THE TALKS BETWEEN THE TWO COMMUNITIES WILL
DO LIKEWISE. IN THIS CONTEXT, WE CONTINUE TO VIEW AN
EC-9 INITIATIVE AS POTENTIALLY HELPFUL BUT THAT IT REMAINS
FOR THE NINE TO DEFINE THE NATURE AND TIMING OF THEIR
INITIATIVE. WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE USEFUL TO IMPRESS UPON
THE PARTIES (A) THE IMPORTANCE OF HAVING FIRM NEGOTIATING
PROPOSALS READY AS SOON AS IS PRACTICABLE, REALIZING THAT
THE OCTOBER 12 TURKISH SENATORIAL ELECTIONS POSE CERTAIN
PROBLEMS, (B) THE DANGERS OF INTERNATIONALIZING THE ISSUE,

AND (C) THAT UNILATERAL ACTIONS BY EITHER SIDE COULD
PREJUDICE A FINAL SOLUTION.

3. DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY LAINGEN DREW ON ABOVE
DURING COURSE OF CONVERSATION LATE SEPT. 10 WITH
ITALIAN DCM TAMAGNINI. KISSINGER

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